

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD  
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114

**PUBLIC HEARING**  
concerning

REVISED WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS  
for  
MUSCO FAMILY OLIVE COMPANY  
AND  
THE STUDLEY COMPANY  
CLASS II SURFACE IMPOUNDMENTS  
TRACY PLANT  
SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

Musco Family Olive Company operates an olive packing plant on property owned by the Studley Company. Class II Surface Impoundments receive an average of 28,700 gallons per day (gpd) (10,476,500 million gallons per year) of process wastewater (designated waste) referred to as Ponds A and B waste management units. These revised Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) update older WDRs by describing the installation of additional monitoring wells, changes in the unsaturated zone monitoring, inspection of the leachate collection systems, and the land application system covered under separate WDRs. These revised WDRs permit continued operation of the facility Class II surface impoundments in compliance with Title 27 California Code of Regulations.

A **formal** public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Regional Board meeting which is scheduled for:

DATE:           **2/3 December 2004**  
TIME:           **9:00 AM**  
PLACE:          11020 Sun Center Dr., Suite 200  
                    Rancho Cordova, CA

The designated parties for this hearing are as follows:

- Staff of Central Valley Regional Board
- Musco Family Olive Company and The Studley Company

Only designated parties will have these rights: to call and examine witnesses; to introduce exhibits; to cross-examine opposing witnesses; to impeach any witness; and to rebut the evidence against him or her. All other persons wishing to testify or provide comments are interested persons and not designated parties. Such interested persons may request status as a designated party for purposes of this hearing by submitting such request in writing to the Board no later than **5 November 2004**. The request must explain the basis for status as a designated party and in particular how the person is directly affected by the discharge.

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Persons wishing to comment on this noticed hearing item must submit evidence, if any, and comments in writing to the Regional Board no later than **29 October 2004**. Written evidence or comments submitted after **29 October 2004** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

All designated parties and interested persons may speak at the Regional Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony and cross examination will be limited in time by the Board Chair

Anyone having questions on the proposed **Revised Waste Discharge Requirements for Musco Family Olive Company and The Studley Compnay** should contact **Kim Schwab at (916) 464-4737**. Interested parties may download the proposed Order and related documents from the Regional Board's Internet website at <http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/tentative/>. If you do not have Internet access, these documents may be inspected and copied at the Regional Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114 weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. by appointment.

The procedures governing Regional Water Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq. and is available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Water Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq. The procedures may be obtained by accessing [http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/water\\_laws/index.html](http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/water_laws/index.html). Information on meeting and hearing procedures is also available on the Regional Board's website at [http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board\\_meetings/mtgprocd.html](http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb5/board_meetings/mtgprocd.html) or by contacting any one of the Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839 at least 5 working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

Original Signed by  
**Jack Del Conte**, Assistant Executive Officer

**4 October 2004**